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Eric,  
Thanks for forwarding. It is my understanding that similar (or possibly the same) protesters have visited other regional offices and the Green Square Building during the past couple weeks. I will forward your information to the department and to other PIO staff.  
Thanks again,  
Ted

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Sandra,

The intent of this email is to notify you that a group of protesters arrived this morning at the WSRO. There were 9 or 10 individuals with anti-fracking and anti-pipeline type posters. They took pictures of themselves in the parking lot and then again at the street entrance next to our DEQ sign. They may have been at the street entrance for 15 minutes or so before they proceeded into the building and to the DEQ lobby.

The receptionist called me and indicated the protesters were "friendly" and wanted to briefly say thanks to a supervisor. I was available so I met with the group. Attached is the sign-in sheet identifying the individuals and their associated organizations.

They thanked me for the work that DEQ does to protect the environment. They also specifically expressed:

- 1) They are against fracking because it releases greenhouse gasses.
- 2) They are against the proposed natural gas pipeline in the eastern part of our state.
- 3) They support renewable energy projects.

The group indicated they intend to meet with the different DEQ regional offices. They also wanted to know how to get their concerns to the appropriate DEQ staff in central office. I suggested they could contact the Public Information Officer, Bridget Munger.

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